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25 YEARS AGO ALLIES LANDED AT GALLIPOLI

By LOUIS F. KEEMLE, United Press Cable Editor

It was 25 years ago, on April 25, 1915, that the allied expeditionary force landed in Gallipoli, the Turkish peninsula along the Dardanelles.

Today, an allied expeditionary force is fighting the Germans in Norway, so far against odds. The British are determined that the Norwegian campaign shall not be a parallel of Gallipoli. Before the Norwegian affair is settled one way or the other, it may reasonably be expected to take on the aspects of a major war and perhaps the deciding factor in the whole war.

The British and French may be expected to profit from the lessons of the Gallipoli campaign and try to drive the Germans out of Norway no matter what the odds.

At the outset of the Gallipoli campaign, the allies landed about 100,000 British, Australian-New Zealand and French colonial troops on the peninsula. The landing was preceded by an unsuccessful naval attempt to force the Dardanelles.

The Turks were thereby warned of what was coming and like German soldiers in Norway, they dug in. The British and French were unable to capture the Gallipoli peninsula and the campaign ended when the allies withdrew in January of 1916.

In Norway, three things are regarded as essential to allied success:

1. They must above all establish a good air base in Norway.
2. They must land large bodies of troops very soon, with effective artillery and anti-aircraft guns.
3. They must sever Germany's lines of communication by sea.

The British attempt to capture Andromeda is due to the urgent need of getting the air base here, now held by the Germans, as a distance from British bases to allied fighting planes going into action against the German air fleet which is raising their operations in all parts of Norway.

Committee For Old Settlers Is Asked To Meet

The office and committee members of the Old Settlers' Association of Eastland County, are requested to meet at the City Park Eastland at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, April 27, to complete plans for the annual meeting to be held July.

50-Year Pioneers Met Last Tuesday

The Eastland 50-Year Pioneer Club met last Tuesday, April 23, at Mrs. Miles Westbrook at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Birmingham at Leon Lake. There were 26 persons including 15 members.

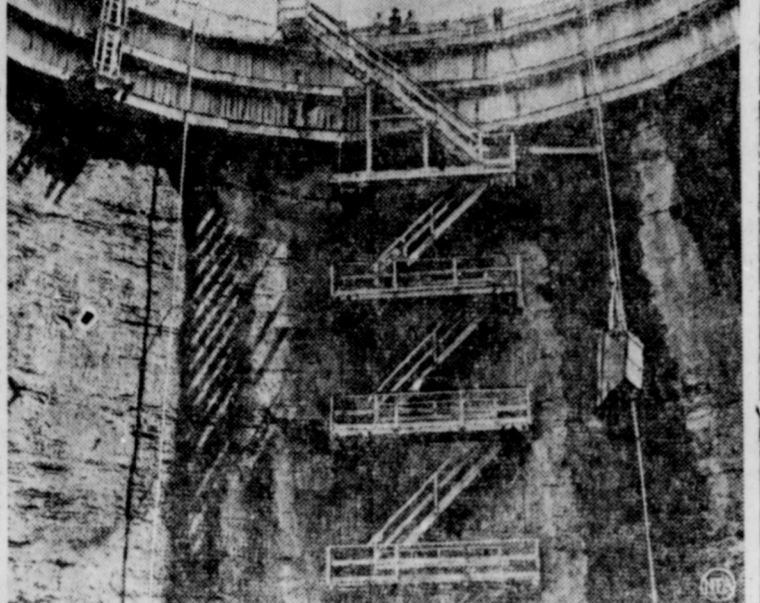
The next meeting of this club will be held May 28th at the Legion Hall in the City at which time Mrs. Maggie Williams will entertain. May Harrison will entertain at the 30-Year Club at the Pioneer Club.

Radio Stops Australia's Wireless

Australia's war effort is interfered with by the radio waves which are being transmitted from the Naval Wireless Station at Canberra.

The station is interrupted between the station and the Admiralty for the purpose of intercepting the "secret" information.

Plenty of Room for Old Oaken Bucket! Ranger Chief of Police To Be a Witness In Trial



Here's the inside of "the biggest well in the world," being dug by the WPA for the new waterworks in Cleveland, O. It's 103 feet diameter and will furnish the Cleveland area with up to 200,000,000 more gallons of water per day. The shaft is 110 feet deep.

PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Affirmed
J. E. Maddox, Administrator, vs. S. R. Smart, et al. Palo Pinto.

Reversed and Remanded
Shelton Motor Co., Inc., vs. John L. Higdon, Taylor.

The Aetna Casualty & Surety Co., vs. Aaron L. Black, Jones.

Motions Submitted
The State of Texas vs. Mrs. Ruby Davis, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

City of Ranger vs. Howard R. Ghoshon, Administrator, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Co., vs. W. O. Rainwater, appellant's motion for rehearing.

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Motion Granted
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Motions Overruled
W. R. Sipe vs. E. G. Sayer, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Maryland Casualty Company vs. Elvis Foote, appellee's motion for rehearing.

Cases Submitted April 26, 1940
Traders & General Ins. Co., vs. A. M. Wright, Howard.

G. O. Kimbrough vs. The State of Texas, Eastland.

Cases to be Submitted May 3, 1940
Wichita Falls & Southern Railroad Co., vs. D. Anderson, et ux, Eastland.

L. E. Parnley vs. Agnes Parnley, Howard.

Library Group To Convene April 30

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Texas—Leaders in the peoples library movement of Texas will convene here April 30, a day ahead of the Texas Library association to discuss a campaign for financing libraries for 4,000,000 Texans who now are not served by any public library.

Mrs. E. H. Marks of Yoakum is chairman of the movement, which has never functioned as a statewide unit. State funds will be asked for book purchases. An announcement said that the organization will function "until Texas has erased the stigma of being 39th among the 48 states in library service and has removed the injustice of denying library opportunities to most of its rural and small-town people."

Mrs. Julia Wright Merrill of Chicago, executive of the American Library association, will attend.

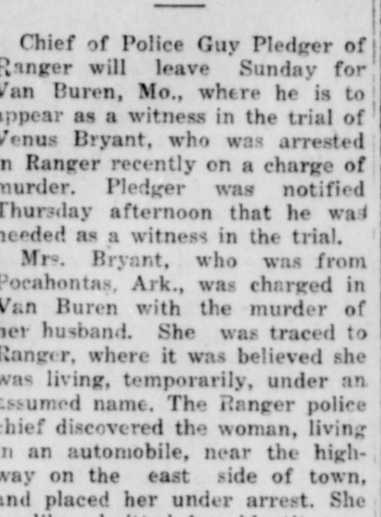
Singer Quits Band Of Gov. O'Daniel

AUSTIN, April 26.—Singer Leon Huff of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's Hillbilly band, today announced his resignation from O'Daniel's organization.

He answered all questions with "vote for Jerry Sadler." Sadler is an opponent of O'Daniel's in the campaign for the governorship.

THE WEATHER
WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with showers southeast portion tonight. Colder north portion and warmer extreme southwest portion.

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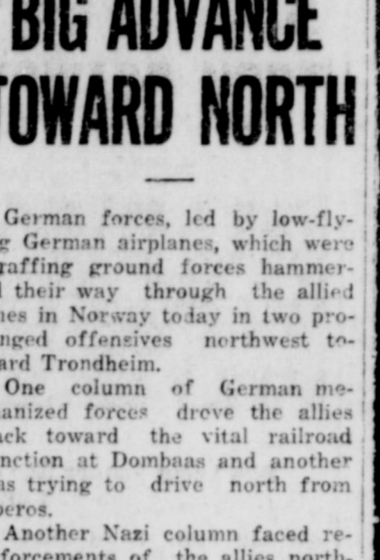
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88th Grand Jury Asks Cooperation Of All Citizens

"We kindly request all citizens of Eastland county to give whatever assistance possible to the officers in order that law violations may show further reductions; and in this connection we are glad to report that the percentage of law violations is less at this time than it was one year ago, which has been due in large part to the close co-operation between citizens and officers," so reads the report of the 88th district court grand jury for the March term as made to Judge B. W. Patterson. The grand jury completed its labors and adjourned Tuesday, April 23rd.

The grand jury's report showed that that organization had been in session a total of 9 days; had examined 123 witnesses upon 55 matters and had returned 22 true bills, 19 of which were felonies.

An inspection of the county jail disclosed that it was being economically and efficiently operated by Jailor Ross Crossley and that the prisoners were being well cared for, according to this report.

The report also commended Sheriff Loss Woods and other officers for their co-operation. It was signed by F. J. Stubblefield as foreman and W. W. Kelly, as secretary.

Ban on Imports Of Mexican Oil Asked

AUSTIN, April 26.—William H. McDonald, of Eastland, candidate for the State Railroad Commission, today asked Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel to call a special session of the legislature to prohibit imports of oil from oil wells in Mexico, expropriated from American citizens.

Indictments Filed In Alleged Lottery

CHICAGO, April 26.—The federal grand jury today indicted the Western Union Telegraph Company and 18 individuals on charges of lottery law violations as a result of an alleged system to disseminate race track information.

Thompson Undecided About Candidacy

AUSTIN, April 26.—Col. Ernest O. Thompson, State Railroad Commissioner, declined today to say whether he intends to run for governor or for congress from the Amarillo district.

Wild Flower Show In Brownwood Soon

The Annual Wild Flower Show of District No. 23 State Highway Department will be held in Memorial Hall, Brownwood, Texas, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 6th and extending to 11:00 o'clock P. M., Thursday, May 9th.

Besides the display of the various wild flowers in this district there will be exhibits of individual kinds with their common and official names placed thereon with qualified experts to classify and answer any questions regarding our wild flowers.

This exhibit is free to the public and everyone is cordially invited to attend this show.

QUIN GOATS FOR DIONNES

By United Press

DEADWOOD, S. D.—For their 6th birthday, May 28, the Deadwood Chamber of Commerce has promised each of the Dionne quintuplets one of the goatsplains born to a goat here.

Attention!

Special on Spring Bedding, Plants, Tomatoes, Coleus Geraniums, petunias, snapdragons, stocks, verbenas, candytuft, Nienbergia, fever few, shasta, sweetwillian, veronica, lavender, Sage, Parsley.

Dr. W. L. Simmons

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RUPTURE

SHIELD EXPERT HERE H. M. SHEVNAV, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the Connellee Hotel, Eastland, Saturday, only, May 4, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

CLASSIFIED

\$10.00 ALLOWANCE for your old tires on a new set during Ward Week. This offer good until Saturday, Phone 567-J, ask for Mr. Hipp.

BET ON LOVE

BY CHARLES B. FARMER

CHAPTER I

NIGHT blanketed the race track. The figure of a slim girl—a moving silhouette against the gloom—crossed the darkened infield. Behind her, under pale stars, loomed the grandstand, ghostlike in the darkness—empty, silent, now that its 15,000 spectators were gone and dreaming of winning fortunes on the morrow.



Illustrated by C. P. Whitford

She knew Pepper Boy's time like her own name. Only that morning she had clocked him in a 1:41 mile.

THE wizened fellow blinked eyes, slowly lowered the pitchfork, said crossly: "Miss Sherry! You know better—you disturbs Pepper Boy—he can't git his rest—won't extend hisself tomorrow—"

FOR a moment Sherry Bond stood still—as Sam's footsteps died out. How to explain to him her desperate plight—her urgent need of winning money, instantly, with her colt? He would think she was crazy, or horse-ignorant, starting Pepper Boy without a few more strong workouts under his belt. But she had to have money.

To her social world Sherry Bond was a smart post-deb who, following the death of her last near relation—a penniless aunt—had purchased a fine colt, and gone to the races with him. Just to see her colors flash on the track—that's what her crowd said. Maybe that was the reason she had bought Pepper Boy, but now Pepper Boy had to run fast and often—to earn rent money for herself and for him!

Racing opened on the eastern circuit tomorrow. She had done what many a horseman did—entered her colt in two races: one a \$5000 handicap; the other, a cheap

claiming race. She'd start him where she thought he had a sure chance of winning—or at least a fighting chance. Could Pepper Boy win tomorrow? She took down from a shelf a book filled with cabalistic signs and jargon: "... made the mile in 1:40—while she pored over race records."

She knew Pepper Boy's time like her own name. Only that morning she had clocked a 1:41 mile. NOT so far away, stars were hovering over Park Avenue. A young man in white tie and tails stepped briskly from his car, took the salute of his caped doorman, "Evening, Mr. Wharton," went inside and was carried upward by a muted elevator. Ten minutes later he sat behind a Queen Anne desk, the lights of Manhattan gleaming through mullioned casements. He opened a volume crammed with strange symbols and lingo: "... mile workout in 1:41—handily."

FINALLY the girl straightened, laid down the book, called: "Sam!" A brown face came out of the night, boy elbows hooked over the half-door. "You call me, Miss Sherry?" "Sam, think we can beat that big colt of Mr. Wharton's—Red Soldier—tomorrow? Nothing else can touch us."

"Colt ain't never started in a real race—but we got a good chance if the jockey gets him off, fast-like." He thought a moment, added, "Yes'm, if you insists on runnin' him, I think he can win—but he'll shore have to be rid hard. He's trainin' for a route—that be a six-furlong sprint tomorrow." The girl nodded. Got to her feet. "And if he has a chance of beating Red Soldier in the Handicap, then he certainly can win that claiming race—first on the program—same distance, and eight pounds less weight and no fast competition."

Sherry Bond smiled in superior manner. "Oh, no, they won't! He's been entered in both races. The fact that I chose to send him out in a \$2500 claiming race, worth only \$700 to the winner, tells everybody that he hasn't class—body'll think he's running in his right group—nobody claim him. And we'll win, Sam—we must win, for we're broke. We've got to get that \$700 if we want to start for Louisville and the Derby."

"Miss Sherry?" There was a question in the old man's voice and deep concern. "Yes, Sam?"

"I happens to know Mr. Wharton's stable thinks mighty nice of Pepper Boy. If you starts him in that claimin' race, they gonna claim him, sure!" "Bosh, Sam! Don't you know that Mr. Wharton is a friend of mine? He wouldn't do that!" "Wouldn't he? He been racin' five months—you been racin' five months—leastways you been gettin' ain't never started a horse."

TWENTY miles away—in Manhattan—the chap at the Queen Anne desk picked up his phone, reached his trainer in the tackroom of his stable. "Ed? Wharton. I've been through all the records tonight. The figures say that little black colt is our main competition tomorrow."

"What's this? What happened to the colt?" "Nothing—but the girl-owner thinks Red Soldier might nose Pepper Boy out. She's got to have money. So she's starting her colt in the six-furlong claiming race instead. Thinks he's a sure thing there." "What! Then listen to me—put in a claim for Pepper Boy tomorrow. Be sure to do it!" A moment's silence. Then, "I don't like it, sir—claiming a girl's one horse—it ain't—"

Thomas L. Blanton Announces His Candidacy for Congress and Gives The Platform Upon Which He Runs

Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene, former congressman from the 17th congressional district, has re-entered the political campaigns, as a candidate for the office he once held, with the following statement and platform:



To Voters of the 17th Congressional District: Many who voted against me in 1936 now urge my candidacy. You have an investment in my knowing all the rules and precedents of Congress, my intimate familiarity with the business of government, and my long personal acquaintance with its officials.

1. For centuries in Europe selfish despots have waged cruel wars of aggression. They will likely continue for centuries to come. Wilson was reelected in November 1916 on the slogan "He kept us out of war," yet in April 1917, he was persuaded to urge Congress to declare war. We can't "make the world safe for democracy."

It is easy to propagandize war. After National elections are safely over, selfish interests that reap profits out of war, will find some way to incite a message from the White House urging Congress to declare war. Then will come the frenzied cry to Congress, "Stand by the President!" A war atmosphere ensues that denounces as "yellow" any congressman who dares to oppose the war program.

I solemnly give my pledge to the fathers and mothers who suffer at home, and to their sons who are sacrificed abroad on battlefields of horrors, that if I am nominated in July, I will begin at once to organize Congressmen against this war, and will use every means humanly possible in Congress to see to it that the flower of young American manhood is not sent across oceans to fight other nations' foreign wars.

only 1-5 of all laborers, while the other 4-5 are sacrificed, deprived of jobs, and go hungry. With work curtailed our splendid young men in this district earn less each year. General unemployment hurts everybody, farmers especially. There can't be jobs without employers. There can't be pay rolls without employers. Yet drastic laws have run many employers out of business. Millions of citizens are without jobs, with no purchasing power to buy farm products. I pledge that I will work to counteract the radical influence of our Labor Department, to repeal the Wagner Act, to repeal the N. L. R. A., to remove the throttle hold which such radicals as John L. Lewis has upon the throat of our Government, and to encourage business to reopen factories and enterprises that again will furnish jobs to the millions of unemployed, and at the same time safeguard all legitimate rights and interests of union labor.

the control and management of their farms, and to the overhead of dollars now pouring into markets for all farm products. I pledge the producers that I shall with the program, against government... 7. During the past few years, the United States has been flooded with the products of the American jobs for... 8. Since 1936, the Government has appropriated more money than it has which huge deficits which if continued means government... I pledge the people to keep our annual income in our annual income for your support.

of every State should be treated alike, receive \$30 each from the Government, not be discriminated against by arbitrary administrators and State legislatures, and taken out of state politics. Texans now are more than doubly taxed, in financing a costly state administration, and an expensive government administration. I pledge my best efforts to amend this law, as originally intended by Congress, to pay every old age pensioner in all states \$30 each month by the Government.

3. I pledge that I will do everything possible to require all social security funds now being paid into the Treasury, to be safeguarded in discharging social security obligations.

4. Through strikes, violence, sabotage, and threats of defeating all candidates who won't agree to obey their orders, radical labor leaders have forced the passage of drastic laws, which, instead of benefitting labor, have stifled business, closed thousands of enterprises, and put out of jobs and made penniless four-fifths of all the laborers in the United States. Our Labor Department has been so antagonistic to business men, they have realized that they can get no Government protection from sit down strikes, and other ruinous practices. No business can long survive the Wagner Act. The N. L. R. B. has been friendly with agitators. Men with capital have preferred to invest their money in tax exempt bonds, when they are not allowed to select their own employees for individual efficiency, but must take what the union gives them, when unsatisfactory or incompetent employees can't be discharged without union consent, and when John L. Lewis can force happy and contented employees to be unionized against their wish, and pay union dues. Thousands of owners have closed up their businesses. In Pennsylvania a turnpike was built to aid 6,000 needy farmers. Labor leaders required these farmers to join a union, and pay \$15 initiation fee, and \$1.50 dues per month before they could work. Such drastic laws benefit

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Grapefruit Juice	Tropic Gold	No. 2 Cans	5c
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Pork & Beans	Texas Special	Full 16 Oz. Cans	5c
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	Fancy Golden	Cans	25c
PURE CANE SUGAR	10 Lb. Kraft Bag	25 Lb. Kraft Bag	47c \$1.19

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GREEN BEANS	Red Crest Cut	2 No. 2 Cans	15c
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COFFEE	PIPKIN'S SPECIAL	2 Lbs.	29c
SHREDDED WHEAT	NATIONAL Package		10c
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PEACHES	ROSEDALE	Large Cans	15c
PINTO BEANS		5 Pounds	25c
GRAPENUTS	Regular Package		12 1/2c
CRISCO		3 Pound Can	45c
SUPERSUDS	Large Package		19c
TOMATO JUICE	CAMPBELL'S	2 Tall Cans	15c
CULF SPRAY		PINT QUART	23c 39c
LIBBY'S CORN	Whole Grain Golden Bantam	2 Cans	25c
BLISS TEA		1/4 Lb. Pkg. 1/2 Lb. Pkg.	13c 25c
LIFEBUOY SOAP		2 For	11c

5c

HOMINY	Tall Can	
GREEN BEANS	No. 1 Can	
TOMATOES	No. 1 Can	
SOUP	Vegetable No. 1 Can	
BEANS	Mexican Style No. 1 Can	
SPINACH	No. 1 Can	
SOUP	Tomato No. 1 Can	
CREAM PEAS	No. 1 Can	
SPAGHETTI	Prepared No. 1 Can	
KRAUT	No. 1 Can	
Black Pepper	1 1/2 Oz. Can	

PRUNES	10 Pound Box	45c
PARDOGG FOOD	3 cans	25c
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TEXAS KING FLOUR	24 Pound Bag	75c
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BACON SQUARES Lb. **12c**
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LONG HORN CHEESE	Per Lb. 21c

BOLOGNA Per Lb. **10c**

ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT Pound **25c**

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EASTLAND TELEGRAM

RED RYDER

By Hamlin

ALLEY OOP

By Fred Hamlin

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'Take Back Your Gold!'

In the days when songs had sentiment instead of schmalz, there was a popular ballad entitled "Take Back Your Gold!"

The subject maiden was represented as firmly, and none too gently, spurning an offer of gold in the place of love, concluding with a ringing plea to "make me your wife, that's all I ask of you!"

Many United States economists have been singing variations on the gold theme recently, and it is rapidly swelling into a national chorus.

The fact is that we now have more than \$18,000,000,000 in gold buried in the ground. That is more than two-thirds of all monetary gold in the world. The last billion has come in the past six months.

We are furiously buying all that is offered at prices higher than anybody else will pay. And we are committed to a policy of "cash-and-carry" for sale of war goods. What is "cash"? Gold.

Economists fret. They see possibilities of a tremendous inflation in this great golden hoard. They see a day that war over, when the emerging nations, having no gold, will turn to other monetary plans, leaving the United States with superfluous tonnage of tooth filling.

There is a comedy-within-a-comedy here, in that Congress has also ordered the treasury to buy silver at a price high above its worth until the amount bought equals one-third of the gold. So the treasury has bought furiously again, mostly abroad, but gold has increased so fast that it has been utterly impossible to buy the specified amount of silver.

To say that this is silly is easy enough. Of course it is. But to know what to do about it is something else again. Here the economists disagree; few have any positive ideas at all.

One thing could be done: Congress could order the treasury to buy outright for gold, surplus stocks of military or other supplies not produced in the United States, from friendly neutral countries like those in South America, the Dutch East Indies, and the like.

That may be only a partial solution, but it is better than cringing helplessly before the golden flood.



'OUT OUR WAY'

By Williams



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



In the Footsteps of Famed Forebear



Mary Louise Revere Auerhamer, of Boston, great-great-granddaughter of Paul Revere, carries lanterns ("one if by land, two if by sea") to be hung in "The Old North Church" in recent celebration in Boston of 165th anniversary of Revere's famed ride.

Burford Green, formerly of Dallas, is now with Frank Roberson in Eastland. He also represents the International Harvester Company. Mr. Green was accompanied to Eastland by Mrs. Green and their two children. The family will reside at the Boole Apartments at the corner of West Plummer and South Green streets.

JUNIOR C. OF C. TO MEET Members of the Eastland Junior Chamber of Commerce are requested that a special called meeting of that organization has been called for this afternoon at 8:00 o'clock in the county court room.



NAZIS SCORE SUCCESSES ON ALLIED TROOPS

Two successful German drives in Norway were reported today as Berlin hinted that a wide open aerial warfare may soon be loosed because of alleged British bombing of non-military objectives in

Germany. The Nazis smashed the Allied defenses northeast of Lillehammer and at Roeros, near the mid-Norwegian frontier, but the Allies were reported to have joined the Norwegians for a new stand at Roeros. Roeros is only 80 miles from the German-held port of Trondheim and the rapid German advance indicated strategy to obtain control of the railroads quickly. Several hundred Norwegian soldiers crossed the Swedish frontier near Roeros. London admitted that the Allies have retreated from the hammer. The French said that the French sank two German ports in the Paris insisted that Germany were ready to try to turn to the right. The Belgian cabinet is declared over an appropriation. Meantime both London's demands on the Allies, in return for the could not be met.

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SERIAL STORY

BET ON LOVE

By CHARLES B. PARMER

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Illustrated by G. P. Whitford

Sherry gasped. . . The outline of a man's head showed through the curtains. What was he doing in her house?

"You could have used the cross-town bus for a nickel. But go on—what have you to offer me?" "Forty years—more or less—on the turf. Know everybody. Know everything, meaning all the angles. Forty years experience—at your service—you can trust me, Sherry. Cross my heart, I'm no tout. Be entirely at your service."

SHERRY broke off to answer the ringing of the phone in the next room. "Sherry?" Instantly the girl was on guard. "Paul Wharton. Listen, darling—" "Cut the darling stuff—What's on your mind, Paul?" "You've entered Pepper Boy in two races—scratching one, of course. You're not afraid of facing Red Soldier—"

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



WORK OF ART

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words.

ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS



RYDER By Fred Harman



9:49 Bible Class To Have Barbecue

Tonight at 7:30 at the City Park. This is the time and place for the 9:49 Bible Class barbecue for members and friends, it has been announced.

KIDNEYS MUST REMOVE EXCESS ACIDS

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She's Nation's No. 1 Poppy Girl



Brunet Ellen Drew, motion picture actress, who was recently selected 1940's National Buddy Poppy Girl of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. V.F.W. committee in Kansas City, Mo., chose her as a "typical American girl."

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—Real story back of the extension of the stamp plan to cotton goods is that the Agriculture Department is plenty worried about what the war may do to our export trade. Plan starts in Memphis May 3, and will be started in two or three other cities within the following fortnight.

any person who has not been enumerated, call the Chamber of Commerce office and apprise them of that fact, as this organization is especially anxious for the enumeration to be a complete success for many reasons, in addition in which, is the fact that it will be of great value to this city.

IN THIS PAPER WILL BRING QUICK RESULTS!

Iron Doorstep Was Once a Press Bed

By United Press
MANCHESTER, Tenn.—The doorstep of J. E. Matthews' farm house at Summitville has a colorful story behind it, for the step is the bed of an old printing press that defied the Union army during the Civil War.

Methodist Church Homecoming To Be Held May 3

Friday, May 3, the First Methodist Church of Eastland will observe the homecoming observance program at the church. Beginning on May 3, and continuing through May 5, programs in honor of former pastors and former members of the Eastland Methodist church will be held.

Noble Roman Widener Derby Hope



Joseph E. Widener's Roman proved he will be a real threat in the Kentucky Derby, May 4, when he galloped to victory in the Elmhurst Purse at Keeneland. His time for six furlongs—1:13 1-5—was excellent considering the muddy track, his margin of victory—six lengths—and the fact that it was his first start as a 3-year-old.

Woman Tells a Graphic Story of Plight of Nazis

In spite of all the efforts of the Nazi Government to make them feel that they are "Soldiers of the State," German women resent the official decrees that undermine every phase of family life. In her new book, "The Lights Go Down; Middletown—Nazi Version," Evika

Mann, the talented daughter of Germany's most brilliant man of letters, shows us the effect of National Socialism on women and the radical changes that have come over German home life. To judge from the true stories reported the effect of national socialism is demoralizing and the women are not happy about it.

annoying when you think of cosmetics and silk lingerie. Of these, there just aren't any!

Whenever the job of planning a meal or buying new shoes for Junior begins to annoy you, all you have to do is think of a German woman in the same situation. German women never can plan meals. They serve the family all and everything they can buy, and if the meal boils down to just plain potatoes and pancakes, they may still be much better off than the Schmidts around the corner.

Say what you like, there's nothing like a pretty new frock to make a woman feel like a new person. That's another pleasure that German women can't have now. Because the desire for pretty clothes, it seems, is just a symptom of democratic "infection," and therefore "verboten."

The Nazi slogan, "Kinder, Kueche, and Kirche" (children, kitchen and church), except for the children part, is just words. There is little for women to do in the kitchen, they are not wanted in the churches, and the churches are not wanted in Germany.

Children? That's quite a different story. The Fuehrer, it appears, does need soldiers. And he is determined to get his soldiers, marriage or no marriage. But that makes no difference. "One stalwart fellow," says Hitler, "should suffice for ten or twenty girls who have not yet stifled in themselves the will for children."

The totalitarian state takes itself seriously. In Nazi Middletown it regulates the lives of its unfortunate men and women to the smallest detail. The housewife gets the lion's share of the dirty work and the lamb's share of the credit. She must watch her children becoming thinner and thinner, and at the same time read speeches and attend lectures about eliminating "waste" in the kitchen!

There are touches of grim humor in the daily lives of the women in the Nazi Middletown of "The Lights Go Down." An average housewife, marketing for a family of six, asks for a quarter pound of butter. The storekeeper is sorry, but there is no butter in the whole city. Might she have two eggs, please? Ach, gnuedige Frau, if only he had some eggs! How willingly he would sell them to her! But there are very few eggs, and those are sent to the army and to the Storm Troop commanders.

Transactions Tax Proves Unpopular

By United Press
ENNIS, Tex.—Seventy eight per cent of this town's citizenship is opposed to any form of transactions tax, a survey by high school journalism students revealed recently. The tax endorsed by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, who wants \$40,000,000 to \$60,000,000 a year more for social security payments, was approved by only 20 per cent of the Ennisites interviewed. Two per cent of those polled had no opinion in the matter.

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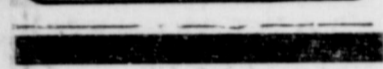
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Bullet In Stomach Of Baby Causes Parents To Worry

LUBBOCK, Tex.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ellis of Southland knew their 22-months-old son George had swallowed a peanut. What they didn't know, but were to find out from physicians, was that he also had swallowed a loaded rifle cartridge.

Attention!

To My Friends and Patrons: I am now with the West Side Barber Shop. Will appreciate your patronage.

CECIL HIBBERT

Auction-Sale

SATURDAY, APRIL 27th 1 P.M.

Entire Stock of Fixtures of the Economy Store to be Sold Piece at a Time—

- Several hundred feet of shelving—good lumber assembled in long lengths. Will be sold in sections or piece at a time.
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Several Dress Racks
12 Shoe Chairs

Other Items Too Numerous To Mention!

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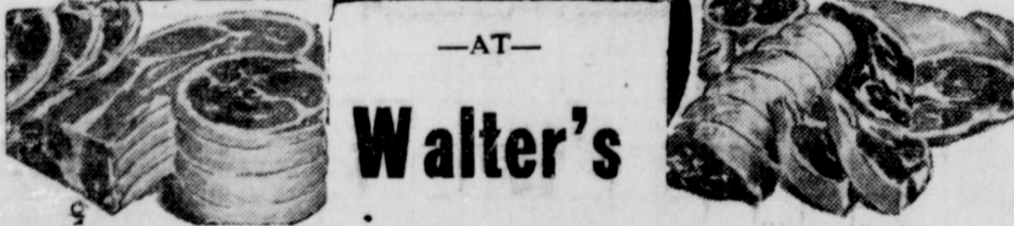
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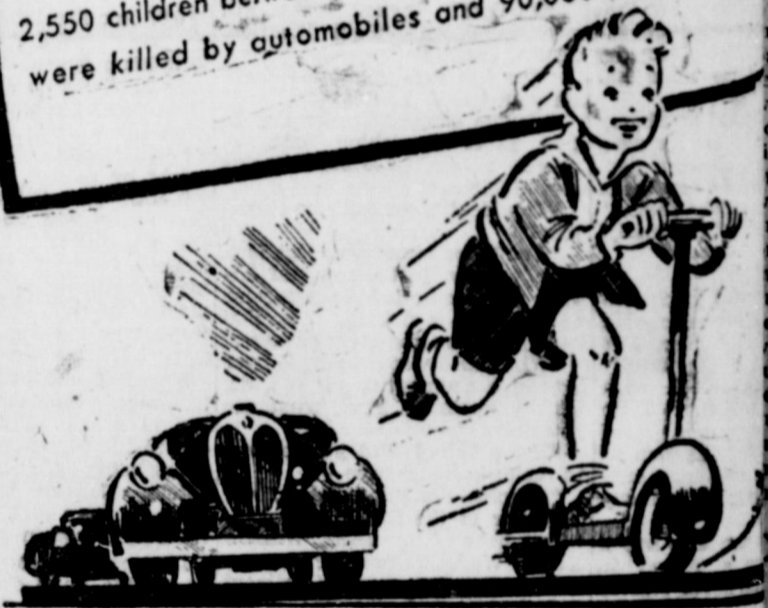
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Walter's

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